## Lake and River Enhancement Program Division of Fish and Wildlife Indiana Department of Natural Resources

## **Aquatic Vegetation Management Projects Approve for Funding 2008-2009**

The DNR awarded \$724,973 in grants to survey and treat exotic invasive plants in 48 lakes in 13 counties. Eighty percent of the lake associations that requested funding received awards. Ray said that highest priorities included eradication of new exotic species introductions in Lake Manitou and Griffy Lake and follow-up control of other invasive species in those lakes; follow-up control for lakes previously funded for fluridone treatments and some new fluridone treatments; and maintenance treatments in lakes with new 2007-11 management plans and other lakes that have received past funding in two years or fewer.

No new aquatic vegetation management plans will be funded for 2008 in order to complete a three-year herbicide treatment cycle for lakes that already have plans.

| COUNTY    | LAKE(S)  | GRANT     | PROJECT TYPE                         |
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| ELKHART   | HEATON LAKE  | \$7,200   | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION       |
| FULTON    | MANITOU LAKE   | \$175,000 | HYDRILLA ERADICATION                 |
| KOSCIUSKO | BARBEE LAKES (BANNING, BIG<br>BARBEE, IRISH, KUHN, LITTLE<br>BARBEE, SAWMILL, AND<br>SECRHIST LAKES) | \$33,837  | IMPLEMENTATION                       |
| KOSCIUSKO | CENTER LAKE  | \$7,200   | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION       |
| KOSCIUSKO | DEWART LAKE  | \$13,950  | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION       |
| KOSCIUSKO | DIAMOND LAKE   | \$4,500   | PLAN REVISION AND IMPLEMENTATION     |
| KOSCIUSKO | HILL LAKE  | \$10,350  | PLAN REVISION AND IMPLEMENTATION     |
| KOSCIUSKO | RIDINGER LAKE  | \$8,550   | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION       |
| KOSCIUSKO | SILVER LAKE  | \$15,705  | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION       |
| KOSCIUSKO | SYRACUSE LAKE  | \$16,200  | IMPLEMENTATION                       |
| KOSCIUSKO | TIPPECANOE, OSWEGO, AND<br>JAMES LAKES   | \$18,311  | IMPLEMENTATION AND ECOZONE SURVEYING |
| KOSCIUSKO | WAUBEE LAKE  | \$5,400   | IMPLEMENTATION                       |
| KOSCIUSKO | WAWASEE LAKE   | \$20,000  | IMPLEMENTATION AND ECOZONE SURVEYING |
| KOSCIUSKO | WEBSTER LAKE   | \$25,400  | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION       |

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| LAGRANGE             | ATWOOD LAKE  | \$6,075  | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
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| LAGRANGE             | BIG TURKEY LAKE  | \$11,205 | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| LAGRANGE             | LITTLE TURKEY LAKE   | \$18,180 | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| LAGRANGE             | SHIPSHEWANA LAKE   | \$5,288  | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| LAGRANGE             | STONE AND BROKESHA LAKES                                       | \$13,111 | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| LAGRANGE             | WALL LAKE  | \$14,058 | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| LAPORTE              | CLEAR LAKE   | \$16,200 | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| LAPORTE              | HUDSON LAKE  | \$24,500 | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| MARSHALL             | FOUR LAKES (COOK, HOLEM,<br>MILLPOND, AND KREIGHBAUM<br>LAKES) | \$18,000 | IMPLEMENTATION                                     |
| MARSHALL             | LAKE OF THE WOODS  | \$13,320 | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| MARSHALL             | PRETTY LAKE  | \$12,100 | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| MONROE               | GRIFFY LAKE  | \$39,052 | BRAZILIAN ELODEA<br>ERADICATION AND PLAN<br>UPDATE |
| MONROE               | GRIFFY LAKE  | \$4,950  | IMPLEMENTATION(OTHER EXOTIC PLANTS                 |
| NOBLE                | BIG LAKE   | \$20,637 | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| NOBLE                | SYLVAN LAKE  | \$26,750 | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| PORTER               | FLINT LAKE   | \$8,100  | IMPLEMENTATION                                     |
| PORTER               | LONG LAKE  | \$8,100  | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| ST JOSEPH            | PLEASANT AND RIDDLES LAKES                                     | \$6,300  | IMPLEMENTATION                                     |
| STARKE               | BASS LAKE  | \$12,600 | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| STEUBEN              | CROOKED LAKE   | \$20,250 | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| STEUBEN              | HAMILTON LAKE  | \$25,400 | PLAN UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION                     |
| STEUBEN              | LAKE PLEASANT  | \$18,720 |  |
| STEUBEN              | WEST OTTER LAKE  | \$13,087 | IMPLEMENTATION                                     |
| TAYLOR<br>UNIVERSITY | MULTIPLE LAKES   | \$7,387  | ASSESSMENT METHODS                                 |

38 PROJECTS IN 12 COUNTIES INCLUDING 49 LAKES TOTAL FOR AQUATIC PLANT MANAGEMENT: \$ 724,973

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